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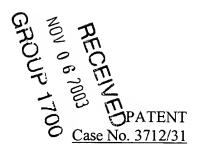
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

PAUL FAZIO

Serial No. 09/995,101

Filed: November 27, 2001

Title: BRUSH MOUNTING APPARATUS WITH RESTRICTED

SWING AND METHODS THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 1744

Examiner: Chin, Randall E.

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION (ELECTION/RESTRICTIONS)

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action (Election/Restriction) dated October 10, 2003.

Applicants elect species "I".

Accordingly, Applicants elect Claims 1-4. Please withdraw Claims 5-15 from consideration.

OCTOBER 31, 2003

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